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filament bundling body 31 and the base material sheet 6 are bonded to each other by means of an adhesive, it is possible to obtain an effect of varying the lengths and the positions of the movable portions still more discontinuously. The filaments 30 contained in the filament bundling body 31 include filaments close to each other in the height direction (vertical direction) as from the base material sheet 6 and in the in-plane direction (lateral direction) of the base material sheet 6.

Of these, description will be made first on the principle underlying the fact that the lengths and the positions of the movable portions formed at the ends of filaments close to each other in the vertical direction greatly differ in some cases in the bonding system using an adhesive. The liquid adhesive applied between the base material sheet and the filament bundling body permeates in the height direction from the base material sheet through the gaps between the filaments to a certain height (depth) by capillary action. It should be noted, however, that a slight difference not only in the application thickness of the adhesive but also in the local density of the filaments and the wettability of the fiber surfaces leads to a

difference in the permeation depth, with the result that the adhesion pattern of the filaments becomes inevitably complicated.

As a specific example, Fig. 8 shows a schematic sectional view of the adhesion bonding portion between the base material sheet